

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

TANAKA

Serial No.: 09/664,542

Filed: September 18, 2000

For: DATA INPUT/OUTPUT SYSTEM



Confirmation No: 4559

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Examiner: G. Auve

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RESPONSE / AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 9, 2003

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated April 16, 2003,
(hereinafter "outstanding Action") the time for reply having been duly extended to
September 16, 2003, by the attached petition for a two-month extension of time,
please amend the application as follows:

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